Sidney Huey

A life Well Lived

August 6, 1919 . September 29, 2012

Celebration Of Life

LOVE REUNITED

Sidney's FAVORITE POEM

Bed in Summer

By Robert Louis Stevenson 1850–1894

In winter I get up at night
And dress by yellow candle-light.
In summer, quite the other way,
I have to go to bed by day.
I have to go to bed and see
The birds still hopping on the tree,
Or hear the grown-up people's feet
Still going past me in the street.
And does it not seem hard to you,
When all the sky is clear and blue,
And I should like so much to play,
To have to go to bed by day?

Celebration of the Life of
Sidney Huey

October 9, 2012 11:00 am

McGlothen Temple Church of God in Christ
1443 Fred Jackson Way, Richmond, CA 94801

Master of Ceremony ~ Elder Claudelle Huey

Musical Prelude.....Elder Michael Butler

Processional.....Clergy / Family

Prayer.....Elder Claudelle Huey

Scripture - Old Testament.....Reverend Willie Bolden

Scripture - New Testament.....Elder Steven Hodge

Selection.....McGlothen Temple Choir

Expressions.....Family and Friends (2 minutes, please)

Expressions.....Stanley Huey

Solo.....Missionary Lucy Hodge

Acknowledgment of Condolences and Resolution
.....Missionary Emma Clark

Poem .....Tiffany Huey

Obituary.....Kyanna Williams

Solo .....Missionary Lucy Hodge

Eulogy
...Senior Administrative Assistant John A. Jennings, Pastor

Parting View and Recessional

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OBITUARY

A Life Well Lived

Sidney Huey was born in Hilly, Louisiana (Lincoln Parish) toHenry and Sallie Huey on August 06, 1919. Sidney had four brothers and three sisters.

Sidney was united in holy matrimony to Miss Janie Goree on August 8th, 1943. To this union, seven children were born. After leaving school as a young man, Sidney went on to work as a carpenter and mechanic. He worked for the Santa Fe Railroad for over 25 years as a coach cleaner. He then worked as a mechanic for California Canners and Growers for over twenty years until his retirement. Sidney was very good with his hands. He always had a truck that he would put to use, hauling, doing electrical work, plumbing, and any type of odd job. He could fix almost anything. Many people called on him for advice on home and small business repairs. He passed many of his skills and strong work ethic onto his children.

Sidney accepted Christ at an early age. He had a strong personal relationship with Christ. Born again in 1950 at McGlothen Temple COGIC, where for several years he served on ministerial staff. He exhibited his reverence and love for GOD through caring for the poor, sick and shut-in. He led by example and was known for his wisdom, accountability and sense of personal responsibility.

Sidney enjoyed spending time with family. Thanksgiving and Christmas were important times for him to spend with his children and grandchildren. He loved to tell stories about life in Louisiana and would always recite poems to his children and grandchildren.

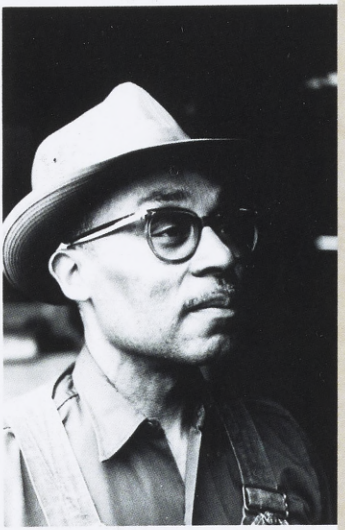
Aware of his civic duties, he was an active and responsible voter until the end. He was very proud of knowing, that in his lifetime, the American people elected the very first African American as President of the United States.

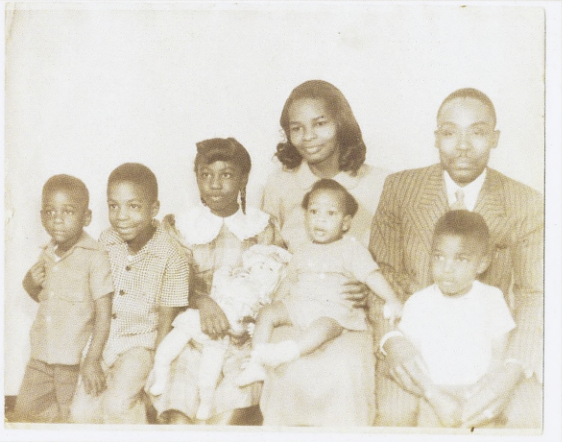
Throughout his early years, Sidney loved to hunt. Gardening, canning fruits, visiting casinos, and shooting pool with friends were among the activities that kept him active and busy in his senior years. He was also a wonderful cook. Anyone who knew him felt welcome to stop by anytime for a visit and a few of his famous biscuits and homemade syrup that he made fresh each day.

Sidney Huey is survived by his six children: Ruth Ann Hill of Richmond, CA; Stanley Huey of Stockton, CA (Willie Mae);Joseph Huey of Vallejo, CA; Jonathan Huey of Turlock, CA; Ronald Huey of Richmond, CA (Deborah); and Helen Williams of Vacaville, CA (Adam Jr.). Sidney is also survived by 15 grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren, 8 great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and other family and friends.

Sidney was preceded in death by his wife, Janie Huey, their daughter Vanessa Clewis, great-grandson Sean Elliott, parents Henry and Sallie Huey; sisters: Arvonia Daye, Ardonia Esaw, Elsie Smith; brothers: Blanchard Huey, Booker Huey, John Henry Huey and Leroy Huey.

Of Life





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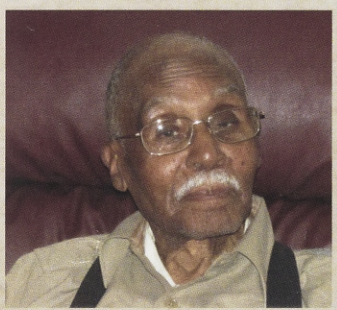

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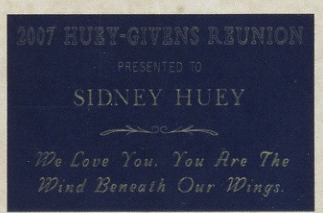

Pallbearers

Reginald Davis
Jerome Daye
Stanley Huey Jr.
Ronald Huey Jr.
Corvin Tademy
Adam C. Williams III

Honorary Pallbearers

Victor Alexander
Trina L. Jones Bolden
Lacy Douglas III
Joseph Huey
Zolili Ndlela
Adam Williams, Jr.

Internment
Rolling Hills Memorial Park, Richmond, CA
Repast
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Richmond, CA 94804

Acknowledgement

The family of Mr. Sidney Huey would like to sincerely thank you all for your prayers and outpouring of Love and Support....
Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair, perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest word that any friend could say,
perhaps you were not there at all,
just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you so much whatever the part.